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## ALLIED TROOPS TAKE THE PEITANG FORTS

But Allow the Chinese Garrison to Escape From Them

ATROCITIES AGAINST CHRISTIANS  
STORY OF A MISSIONARY WHO HAD HIS EYES BURNED OUT BY BOXERS.

United States Announces its Recognition of Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching as Peace Commissioners.

Taku, Sept. 29.--Four thousand Russians, 3,000 Germans and 1,000 French troops, with a detachment of Austrian marines began the attack upon the Peitang forts at daylight. The attack was answered briskly from the forts, the bombardment continuing until noon, but it was noticed that the forts did not reply after 10 o'clock.

The allies sent forward at noon to discover the reason of the cessation of firing from the forts and found them deserted, there being only four dead Chinamen within the walls. The allies were much chagrined, as they believed they had the place completely surrounded, making escape impossible; yet over 3,000 men got away in broad daylight. The Russian artillery fire has proved effective and the forts were badly damaged.

The British and Italian commanders had decided to join in the attack, but their troops had not arrived in time.

The entire line between Tientsin and Taku shows reinforcements were heading for the forts.

Three members of the allied forces were killed and fifty were wounded through the explosion of mines laid along their line of march.

## STORIES OF ATROCITIES IN HUNAN PROVINCE

Washington, Sept. 22.--An official communication coming through diplomatic channels has been brought to the attention of the State Department giving information as to conditions in the Yang Tse Kiang valley and also giving details and fully authenticating instances of atrocities in the province of Hunan against Christian missionaries. The account is given by one of the Christian missionaries who escaped and who makes the report through the officials of the Government now forwarding it to Washington.

In one case, it is stated, a missionary had his eyes burned out, then a portion of his body was cut off, and finally a red hot staff was driven through his back. In another case a missionary was wrapped in cotton, the cotton was soaked in oil and the mass set on fire.

Concerning conditions in the Yang Tse Kiang valley the report states that the Viceroy there have exercised a most pacific influence, despite orders to the contrary from Peking. It appears that the Peking Government ordered the Viceroy to assemble a large army and march to the north. But as the Viceroy personally were opposed to an anti-foreign crusade, the order was not executed. Instead of that one of the officials assembled an army of 3,000 undisciplined coolies who marched north, as a formal compliance with the order. This action of the Yang Tse Viceroy in resisting the Peking influence against the foreigners, is said to have had an important effect in preventing a general spread of disorders.

## THE COURSE OF THIS

### GOVERNMENT DEFINED

New York, Sept. 22.--A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Notes have been sent to the Powers clearly defining the course this Government has determined to pursue in the Chinese situation. The Chinese Government must be promptly re-established and enter into new treaties with adequate provision for reparation and guarantees for the future. Most of the United States troops are to be withdrawn from China immediately. China will be compelled to punish her own culprits.

It is the belief of this Government that there is nothing to prevent the beginning of negotiations without further delay and that no occasion exists for the protracted continuance of troops on Chinese territory. Cooperation with the Powers along these lines will be welcomed by this Government which must, however, reserve the right to act independently on any proposition which might lead to war with the Chinese empire.

A memorandum will be made public by the State Department today after the notes reach their destinations, giving a full statement of the conditions now existing which will unmistakably demonstrate that the course of the United States has been thoroughly consistent from the first and that nothing has succeeded in swerving the Administration from its determination not to become embroiled in any ulterior designs other nations may have upon China.

According to the best available specific information, this Government announces its recognition of Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching as the plenipotentiaries of the Emperor Kwang Hsu and has authorized Minister Conger to open preliminary negotiations with them at once, the United States at the same time being prepared to appoint a special committee to meet the Chinese authorities empowered to conclude conventions providing indemn-

nity for past injuries and guarantees for future security.

The United States will insist as a part of the reparation to be demanded in the negotiations that the Chinese authorities shall punish the guilty with deserved severity.

## Remey's Report on Peitang Fight.

Washington, Sept. 22.--The Navy Department has received the following cablegram from Admiral Remey:

Taku, Sept. 21.--Secretary of Navy, Washington. Force of Russians, Germans and Austrians advanced on Peitang forts last night. Fire opened by Chinese and kept up all night at intervals. Forts evacuated at 9 this morning. Europeans hoisted their colors over forts at 11. Twenty-five Russians and Germans reported blown up by mine. Information from Commander Wise who followed troops into forts, only five Chinese killed.

## LIVE HILO NOTES

### AND PERSONAL DOINGS

Mrs. J. T. Lewis has moved this week to the Puna residence formerly occupied by Mr. Busch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shipman left Hilo this week for a month's sojourn at their mountain residence.

George Potter and wife came from the coast by the Roderick to assume charge of the dairy at the Baker ranch.

Mr. Boutelle, brother of the congressman of that name from Maine, succeeds A. E. Sutton as clerk in the Hilo postoffice.

Luke LeBlonde, who arrived by the Roderick, will remain for the present in Hilo. His father, C. M. LeBlonde, will come down in October.

Manager Castendyke of Hackfeld's Kailua store was tendered a big luncheon Tuesday night. He will take a position in the Hilo store on October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Scott and family of Wainaku have removed to their seaside residence at Reel's Bay, where they will reside for the next four or five weeks.

Prince David, the nominee of the territorial democratic party, came up to Hawaii by last Kinai. He will stump the island in behalf of himself and the party he represents.

The preliminary hearing of the three men suspected of killing Ah Cho, set for Monday last, was adjourned until the return of ex-Judge Smith, who will assist in the prosecution.

Olaf Peterson, who was an Oahu coffee planter and land owner a few years ago, and has more recently been cultivating gold in the Klondike, is in Hilo again, looking for opportunities for investment.

Dr. W. H. Shoening returned from a pleasure trip to Puna on Monday. He went as far into the wilderness as Kalaupapa. It is suspected that Dr. Shoening is trying to corral the native vote for delegate to congress.

F. C. Carter, who arrived by the Roderick, brings about fifty-five head of fine stock for the Parker ranch, which will be driven over to Wainaku as soon as the animals have recovered from the effects of the sea voyage.

Mr. Johnson of Honolulu, representing the board of health, came up by the Kinai to look after Hilo's sanitary condition. He says that a permanent inspector will probably be appointed by the government for this place.

The Masons of Hilo have purchased a portion of the Hitchcock lot on upper Waiuanue street and will erect a temple on it in the near future. It is probable that a Masonic building association will be organized.

Bids for the excavation and masonry work of the foundations of the electric light and refrigerator plant were tendered on Monday last. The contract was awarded to Nuno Fernandez for \$4,600, the work to be completed within three and one-half months.

The Roderick Dhu, twelve days from San Francisco, arrived in port on Tuesday morning with a full cargo of freight and the following passengers: Miss Frances Washburn, George Potter and wife, F. C. Carter, Mr. McDonald, Lillioe Hapai, Mr. Chalmers, Miss Chalmers, Mrs. Seabaker and child, Mrs. S. L. Austin, Miss Dollie Sumner, Mrs. Williams. It is perhaps needless to state that she also brought her captain and crew. There was, besides, the inevitable stowaway.

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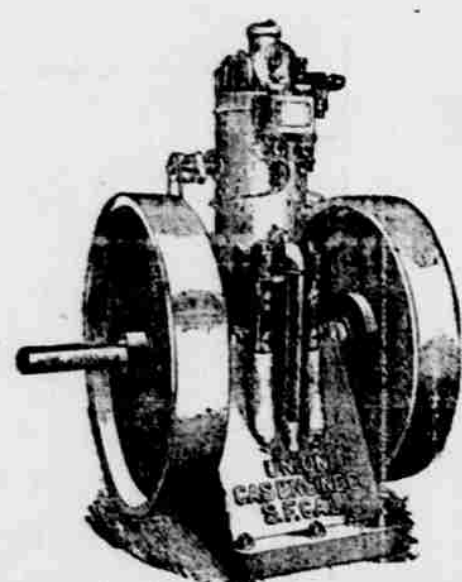
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